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LIMDIS, DELIVER OPENING OF BUSINESS SEPTEMBER 1

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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION ON ISRAELI MILITARY
ADMINISTRATION

1. AS PART OF OUR PREPARATIONS FOR CAMP DAVID, WE ARE TRYING TO GET TOGETHER AS CURRENT AND COMPLETE A PICTURE AS POSSIBLE OF EXACTLY HOW THE ISRAELI MILITARY ADMINISTRATION FUNCTIONS ON THE WEST BANK AND IN GAZA. TO THAT END, WE WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR ADDRESSING THE FOLLOWING GENERAL QUESTIONS: HOW AND TO WHAT EXTENT DOES THE ISRAELI MILITARY GOVERNMENT CONTROL OR INFLUENCE THE ACTIONS OF THE VARIOUS ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENTS OPERATING IN THE TERRITORIES? (TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE, WE WOULD HOPE YOU COULD TREAT EACH DEPARTMENT SEPARATELY.)

2. WE WOULD PARTICULARLY APPRECIATE YOUR ATTEMPTING TO ADDRESS THE FOLLOWING SPECIFIC QUESTIONS:

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-- APPROXIMATELY HOW MANY ISRAELI OFFICIALS ARE INVOLVED WITH EACH DEPARTMENT, AND WHERE ARE THEY PHYSICALLY LOCATED?

-- WHAT IS THE RELATIVE WEIGHT OF ARAB INPUT INTO THE DECISION-MAKING PROCESS IN EACH DEPARTMENT AND HOW IS IT MADE?

-- HOW DEPENDENT IS THE OPERATION OF EACH DEPARTMENT
ON FINANCIAL AND PERSONNEL RESOURCES PROVIDED BY THE
CORRESPONDING ISRAELI MINISTRY?

-- WHICH DEPARTMENTS MIGHT BE PREPARED TO OPERATE
EFFECTIVELY IMMEDIATELY UPON THE WITHDRAWAL OF ISRAELI
RESOURCES AND WHICH MIGHT NOT BE ABLE TO DO SO FOR AN
EXTENDED PERIOD OF TIME WITHOUT ALTERNATIVE OUTSIDE
ASSISTANCE? WHERE WOULD THE LATTER BE LIKELY TO TURN FOR
SUCH ASSISTANCE?

-- WHAT SPECIFIC ISSUES UNDER EACH DEPARTMENT TEND TO
CAUSE CONTINUING FRICTION BETWEEN ISRAELIS AND WEST
BANKERS?

3. WE WILL NEED AS MUCH DETAIL ON THIS AS POSSIBLE.
WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR GIVING US AS MUCH AS YOU CAN BY
COB FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1 WITH FOLLOW-UP LATER IF NECESSARY.
WITH THIS IN MIND, IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO TREAT FULLY ALL
DEPARTMENTS, WE WOULD LIKE YOU TO TREAT THEM IN THE
FOLLOWING PRIORITY ORDER: JUSTICE/POLICE, LABOR, FINANCE,
REFUGEES, COMMERCE/TOURISM , CONSTRUCTION/HOUSING,
AGRICULTURE, RELIGIOUS AFFAIRS, TRANSPORTATION, EDUCATION,
AND HEALTH. (THESE DESIGNATIONS CORRESPOND TO THOSE
UTILIZED IN THE SELF-RULE PLAN.) CHRISTOPHER

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